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LOCAL WHEAT SHIPPERS' COMPLETE ORGANIZATION

An enthusiastic meeting of the local association of the Wheat Pool was held on Wednesday, March 17th in the L. E. Ray Hall.

There were 20 members present. Mr. H. Foreman, president occupied the chair, C. Miller Secretary. Six directors were appointed as follows:

Oscar Meurin S. E.; James Semple S. A.; J. Poirier S. W.; George Gibb N. E.; Jon Murray N. C. B. Ouillette N. W.

The above were also appointed captains for the wheat drive. A fee of 25c to be levied for membership to this local of the association.

Emphasis should be placed on the fact that the work of the association is to look after the interests of local shippers and all such should become members and co-operate in their efforts to maintain the Pool at the highest standard of efficiency.

The officials thank Mr. L. E. Roy for the use of his hall for their meeting.

THE STRAWBERRY AND ITS CULTURE

BY A LOCAL GARTENER

The wild strawberry is widely distributed throughout the world and although the fruit is small, it has a flavor preferred by many people to the garden varieties.

Within the past few years the large fruited garden varieties have been tried in the Chauvin district with very gratifying success. They are very easy of culture and should be in every garden.

There are a great many garden varieties which have been chiefly from the Chilean and Virginian species, all of which are good. But some are not of outstanding merit and others are more suitable to our immediate neighbourhood than others.

The varieties may be divided into two classes, Standard and Everbearing. Probably the best varieties for this district are the Standard varieties of Warfield (Imp) and Senator Dunlop (Peer). The Everbearing varieties are Progressive (per) and Superb (per).

Warfield (imp). An old favorite, early, of strong growth, and a heavy cropper. Berries medium size, smooth, drak red, and excellent for eating.

Senator Dunlop (per). Is a deservedly popular variety of vigorous growth, producing a large quantity of big, dark red, glossy berries. Fruit of fine form and excellent flavor.

Progressive Everbearing. (per). A strong vigorous grower and a

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EDINGGLASSIE CHURCH CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

A congregational meeting of Edinglassie district held after church service on Sunday, March 23rd.

At the opening of the meeting Rev. McKenzie gave a very interesting lecture on the finance of the church. Rev. McKenzie acted as chairman of the meeting chairman asked for Sec-Treas. report which was as follows:

From April 1st 1923 to March 9th 1924 84.51
Of this amount Rev. Millar had been paid 52.15
Mr. McKenzie 30.00
Leaving a balance of 2.36

Chairman then asked for nominations for Church Board:

Moved J. C. Reinhart—Mrs. Richardson that Messrs P. H. Perry, J. Murray, J. Taylor-W. Petrie be elected. Carried unanimously.
Chairman then explained to the meeting that the 1923 Board had recommended to increase the collection and try to get a stated amount, to cover the minister's salary and the Edinglassie share toward paying off the manse debt. After some discussion on the envelope system, Mr. McKenzie explained in full, a show of hands was taken for those in favor of this method. This was carried by a large majority. After the meeting the Sec-Treas. was instructed to send for the envelopes—W. Petrie, Sec-Treas.

J. R. LOVE ADVOCATES PROVINCIAL INCOME TAX IN ALBERTA HOUSE

The suggestion that Edmonton and Calgary both had urged upon the Legislature that they be allowed to levy some form of income tax, yesterday bore unexpected fruit.

The Legislature had put before it the proposal that an income tax be levied for the benefit of the province at large, which would effectually preclude the possibility of the two big cities of Alberta benefiting directly from any form of income tax levied upon their citizens.

The proposal came from J. Russell Love, Farmer, Wainwright who during the debate on the budget speech declared that an income tax was the most equitable means of raising sufficient revenue to wipe out the annual deficit and to put the province on a sound basis financially.

It was also suggested by Mr. Love that the cities should not be allowed to impose any form of income tax. The amusement tax, or some other form of revenue now collected by the province, could be turned over to the cities to take the place of taxes

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EASTERN AND WESTERN ROUTES ARE DEBATED AT G.W.V.A. CONCERT

The following is a brief epitome of the debate on the motion "Resolved that the Eastern Route is better for Canada than the Western Route."

G. M. Beattie in proposing this motion stated that it had been proven that straight wheat growing was unprofitable and that we had to consider the eastern route as an outlet for all our produce. In 1919 the States and Canada had plans for the construction of a deep water canal bringing the lakes into direct communication with the ocean and enabling ocean freighters to carry the grain the whole distance. This scheme would cost 355 million dollars, of which the States would contribute seventy per cent of the cost and Canada thirty.

In the period from 1919 until the present the transportation problem had become more and more acute. Only fifteen per cent of the wheat was carried east of the twin ports by Canadian railways via Montreal. The bulk of the traffic being routed over American railroads and canals, and their facilities were becoming inadequate. The construction of this canal would remove the necessity for the five different handlings of the grain after government inspection as at present and reduce transportation charges. It would have the additional advantage of making the interior of Ontario available to the waterborne commerce of the world. The city of Toronto had already spent 20 million dollars in preparing a deep water harbor at their city and other eastern cities would follow this lead.

The freight rate from Edmonton to Montreal is so high that of ten cars of oats shipped it requires the value of nine cars to pay the freight. The freight on wheat for this distance is 53 per cent of its value, of oats 90 per cent, and of eggs 48 per cent. The construction of the St. Lawrence

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HAIL INSURANCE WILL BE OPTIONAL

Mr. L. B. Nicholson, secretary of the Merton Municipality attended the municipal hail insurance convention at Calgary last week. He tells us that the scheme will be worked on an optional basis this year, and those requiring hail insurance will have to apply to their municipal secretaries to be included in the scheme.

Mr. Nicholson also attended the convention on municipality secretaries whilst in Calgary, returning Saturday last.

UNITY HOSPITAL BOARD MINUTES

A meeting of the Unity Hospital Board held in the Municipal Office, Unity, March 19th 1924.

Bradley-Winch; That minutes of previous meetings be adopted as read.

Bradley-Ricketts; That patients accounts as itemed on page four of Auditor's report to the amount of \$126.42 be written off at the end of the year.

Simons—McAleer; That the Auditor's report be adopted.

Atkinson—Needham; That we move a hearty vote of appreciation for the assistance rendered in the past by the Ladies Hospital Aid.

Knuff—Ricketts; That we adjourn for lunch.

Glasse—Simmons; That outstanding accounts be deducted from quarterly deficits before application be made to the Co-operating Municipalities for payment.

Motion lost. Yeas—Glasse. Nays—Winch, Simmons, McAleer, Atkinson, Bradley, Ricketts, Needham, Knuff.

Bradley—Simmons; That we write the Secretary-Treasurer of each Co-operating Municipality for a statement of all moneys paid since Jan. 1st 1923 to the Hospital Board, detailing whether for Capital Levy, Deficit, statement to include arrears of taxes.

Bradley—That we adjourn to meet at the call of the chairman.

McCLURE AUCTION SALE IS POSTPONED ONE WEEK

We are officially informed, at the moment of going to press, that the McClure Auction sale is postponed from Friday, March 28 to Friday, April 4th.

CHAUVIN G. W. V. A.

The Chauvin Command G. W. V. A. meeting was held in the club rooms, Saturday evening. A good attendance of members being present. After the routine of business had been transacted, Comrade Hiron gave an interesting paper on the "production of Motion Pictures," after which Comrade Pitman gave an interesting talk on "Spring Work & Organization on the Farm" which was very much appreciated by all present.

The next meeting of the Chauvin G. W. V. A. will be held at 8 o'clock sharp, Saturday, March 30th. All veterans invited.

We are pleased to report that messages received from Edmonton say that the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Roe is making favorable progress.

M. D. MERRON COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

Minutes of the first meeting of the council of the M. D. of Merton, held in Winosa school, Thursday March 6th at two p.m.

The meeting was called to order by the Returning Officer F. W. Weeks and the newly elected councillors; Mr. Heard for Div. 3; Mr. D. L. Bennet for Div. 4; and Mr. A. Carson for Div. 5; handed in their Oath of Office. The Returning Officer then called for nominations for Reeve. Mr. Carson was unanimously elected Reeve; and Mr. A. McKenzie was elected Deputy Reeve for the ensuing six months.

L. B. Nicholson was reappointed Sec-Treas. for the year at a salary of \$1200 per annum.

Robert Fair was reappointed Auditor at a salary of \$100.

The following appointments of Fire Wardens were made:

Div. 1. A. Burke south of river; C. C. Campbell North of River
Div. 2. J. L. Smith south of river; John A. Johnson north of river.
Div. 3. H. B. Thomas south of river; W. J. Strreit north of river
Div. 4. J. W. Gay, and J. S. McVinnie
Div. 5. R. D. Heath, and W. A. Gun.

Div. 6. Jos Edlestone, and J. Elkington.

The following reappointments of Poundkeepers were confirmed by Council.

Div. 1. Haakon Johnson, south of river; John Nitschke north of river.
Div. 2. Geo Leggett south of river; Erick Aalborg north of river.
Div. 3. A. Pickard south of river; W. J. Strrette north of river.
Div. 4. A. E. Henderson and Arthur Clarke.
Div. 5. H. Elliot and R. D. Heath.
Div. 6. Wm. Garton and Jack McLaughlin.

Dr. G. L. Cooke was appointed Medical Health Officer for that portion of the Municipal District lying north of the river.

Dr. McGregor of Edgerton was appointed Medical Health Officer for that portion of the Municipal District lying south of the

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U. S. STUDIES ALBERTA

According to letters being received by the Alberta Provincial Government, the geography of that province is now being taught in many of the city schools in large centers of the United States. Requests have recently been received for a considerable number of copies of the Alberta book for schools in Chicago and points in Illinois and Ohio.

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**M. D. MERRON COUNCIL
MEETING MINUTES**
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river.
By resolution the Council as a whole were appointed as a local Board of Health.
The minutes of the previous

meeting were read and confirmed on the motion of Mr. Bratvold.

The Reeve reported a fresh outbreak of scarlet fever in the Uneda District, and it was decided to keep the school closed for another month owing to the fresh outbreak.

It was also decided to get a sufficient number of placards printed giving the regulations of the Public Health Act with regard to infectious diseases: for distribution to all post offices; schools and public places in the municipality.

J. A. Currie addressed the Council relative to the work of Merton School Fair, and a letter was read from the Secretary of the Fair asking for a grant from Council.

It was moved and carried that a grant of \$50 be made to Merton School Fair.

Considerable correspondence was then dealt with by Council.

The customary banking resolutions were put through; and the Reeve and secretary-treasurer were authorized to borrow from the Bank of Montreal Edmonton, the sum of \$2000 to meet current municipal expenditure; and \$6000 to meet the requirements of the schools.

Secretary was instructed to order six cases of gopher poison for distribution to the rate payers at cost.

Accounts amounting to \$681.16 were submitted to council and

Eat More Bread—Fisher's Bakery

passed for payment.

The date of the next meeting was fixed for Saturday, April 5 in Winona school house at 12 noon.

MARCH WINDS

March winds and sun have a destructive effect on the delicate skin of the face. To neglect those ravages of our dry, harsh climate means that the skin becomes permanently coarse and rough. The skin naturally adapting itself to what it has got to face.
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Note: for this time of year, a cold cream (containing oils and fats) is better than a vanishing cream, but a vanishing cream is much better than nothing.

As regards price we may say all above mentioned creams we sell at regular advertised prices which are in most cases 50c, some running as high as 75c.

The Chauvin Pharmacy

SPRING SHOWS AND SALES

The annual spring livestock show and sale at Calgary is scheduled for March 26 to 28, Edmonton March 31 and April 1, while the annual bull sale at La Pombe will take place on June 3 and 4.

**EASTERN AND WESTERN
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AT G.W.V.A. CONCERT**

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canal would cheapen these freight import.

C. W. Ryall, as leader of the negative, stated, that economy and efficiency were essential for the transportation of our wheat and other products, and any scheme we have should have a sound basis. After reviewing the rates eastward and westward from Calgary to Liverpool, he showed that the west route showed a saving of 14 cents per bushel. He instanced the premium paid for Alberta wheat by British buyers at Vancouver. The use of the western route would divert much money now paid the Americans for transportation to Canadian Mr. Ryall gave details of the present wheat handling capacity of the port of Vancouver, and showing how these facilities were being developed by commercial enterprise he related how Messrs Spillers, a large British milling firm, were spending two and a quarter million dollars on a plant which would give employment to a large number of men. There was every indication that the rapid development of the grain business at Vancouver would continue in an increasing measure and without cost to the Canadian taxpayer.

The present per capita national debt of Canada would be increased from \$366 per head to \$500 by the St. Lawrence canal

scheme, and the canal would only be usable during navigation whereas Vancouver was open all the year round.

Mr. G. M. Saul, seconder for the affirmative, gave a strong plea on behalf of the eastern route. He instanced the profits that would accrue from the sale of water power when the St. Lawrence canal was completed. South America would soon be supplied with wheat from Argentina, and the use of the Panama canal might be impossible as a route to the Old Country and Europe should war break out. Vancouver had not sufficient depth of water for the larger freight steamers.

Continuing he pointed out that we had only some ninety miles of railroad to build to reach the Hudson Bay, which was navigable from July 15th to Nov. 15th—a period which could be extended by use of the radio and other modern facilities, ice was less prevalent in the Hudson Strait than in the mouth of the St. Lawrence river and neighborhood of Newfoundland.

The country south of Hudsons Bay was rich in mineral wealth and its development would provide return traffic which would, with the shorter distance to Liverpool, tend to reduce transportation charges to a minimum.

Mr. Cubitt, seconder of the negative, pointed out that the western route was the only route (Continued on page three)

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for our grain the eastern route being unsatisfactory being closed during the winter months for navigation whilst railway freight was too expensive. The St. Lawrence scheme would cost over 300 million dollars and the farmers

would have to pay the biggest percentage of the cost. The same arguments, he continued could be used in regard to the Hudson Bay scheme, which would be open but for four months in the year.

The Vancouver route, open all the year round, was, unlike the use and would be developed by private enterprise without cost to the taxpayer. Its use would effect a saving of sixteen millions of dollars to Canada which is now going to American transporters.

G. M. Beattie, proposer of the motion, in rebuttal of the arguments gave a number of figures showing that the St. Lawrence canal scheme would be self-supporting and revenue-producing. It would add some 5000 miles to the coast line of Canada, whilst the western route was at the mercy of any enemy country who might declare a state of war. He adjured his hearers to stay by the eastern route.

LEALMOLME U. F. A.

A general meeting of the Lealholm U.F.A. will be held in the Wednesday April 2nd. Good attendance is requested, as important business will be discussed.

SPRING SHOWS AND SALES

The Annual Edmonton Spring Livestock Sale will be held in Edmonton March 31 to April 1. The annual spring livestock show and sale at Calgary will be held March 26, 27, and 28. The annual bull sale at Lacombe will be held June 3 and 4.

HONEY WILL MAKE AN ADDITIONAL CASH CROP

(Experimental Farm Note)

In a normal summer bees, in good health, and under moderate care, can store much honey in Manitoba. A large tonnage of honey is still imported annually into the prairies. The honey gathered on the prairies is very steadily increasing along with a steady increase in consumption. But there are many localities in which no honey bees are found. In such places the person keeping a home apiary should find an especially good market for surplus produce.

It may be questionable as to whether it is wise to encourage large numbers of people to go in to beekeeping as a main line of enterprise. However it does seem that there is a place for two or

three hives of bees on many of our farm homes. Such a small home apiary does not require a heavy capital expenditure and does not call for a great deal of time and labor. It affords an interesting, outdoor sideline which is remunerative.

Honey is a wholesome food which provides a pleasing variety in the diet. What is not required for home use may be sold as extracted honey, as honey comb, or as "chunk honey" when the frames become broken. Aside from the revenue gained from the sales, frames of early honey may be saved until the following spring and sold at a good price to neighbours importing packet bees. It is well to have some such frames for these bees until the nectar flow begins. There is also sale for drawn comb and for bees. In using combs of honey for package bees or in the sale of drawn combs, great care must be taken that such combs do not come from diseased colonies.

A small home apiary may well be expected to supply produce which can take its place along with butter, cream, eggs dressed fowl, cured bacon, fruit, garden stuff, and flowers, as commodities which command ready sale.

The Dominion Apiarist has a new edition of "Bees and How to Keep Them" Bulletin, No. 33—New Series. This makes a comprehensive guide for the beginner and interesting reading for the experienced apiarist, and may be obtained free by sending to the Publications Branch, Dept. of Agriculture, Ottawa. No stamps are required on letters to this address. W. R. Leslie, Supt. of Experimental Station, Morden, Manitoba.

A DEAR JOB

Old Giles was suffering from a attack of lumbago, and his wife called in the doctor to attend to him. After examination the doctor decided to paint the old man's back with some tincture.

As the medico was leaving the house the good wife approached him and asked:

"And, what'll your fee be?"

"Three-and-sixpence, please," said the doctor.

"What?" cried the old woman.

"Three-and-six for painting my old man's back, and I got my whole kitchen done for half-a-crown."

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You've got to keep on walking:
One word won't tell folks what you are,

You've got to keep on talking.
One inch won't make you very tall.
You've got to keep on growing:
One little ad. won't do it all,
You've got to keep 'em going.

In the old days they used
leeches to bleed a man. That was
before they discovered the in-
come tax.

USE YOUR HEAD

A woodpecker pecks
Out a good many specks
Of sawdust
When building a hut.
He works like a nigger
To make the hole bigger—
He's sore if
His cutter won't cut.
He doesn't bother with plans
Of cheap artizans.
But there's one thing
Can rightly be said:—
The whole excavation
Has this explanation—
He builds it
BY
USING
HIS
HEAD.

LOVE'S LABOR LOST

They were a rough and ready lot "way down" at the mining camp in the "Australian bush."
In fact, sometimes they were more ready to be rough than the minister who was located in the district liked, and at last he gave up his work in despair.
"You know," he said to the worst of the bad characters of the place just as he was leaving, "you should learn to love your enemies."
"Can't was the laconic reply.
"Why?" inquired the finisher.
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EDITORIAL COMMENT

European wheat buying will acetyly will slowly increase year by year, but having regard to an increase in their own wheat production, the Canadian producer cannot reasonably expect a huge demand nor more than a staple price.

The newer markets for Canadian wheat, some of which are very promising are for the most part most easily reached by the Western outlet. But like the older markets, they will take more or less of our wheat, in proportion to the price they have to pay for the wheat.

It is obvious therefore that the Canadian wheat grower must grow and market his wheat at a price the world can afford to pay.

In this connection the Alberta Wheat Pool has done excellent work, by demonstrating that with minimum if money invested the Alberta wheat can be placed direct on the world at a premium price for its quality, and a premium return for the producer of that quality.

The existence and utilization of the Western route (via Vancouver) has been no small factor in attaining these excellent results.

Some 35 million bushels have

already this season passed through the port of Vancouver and it is confidentially expected that the total amount this year will be well in excess of 50 million bushels.

This grain, because it has retained its original identity as Alberta wheat, and more important still because it is unmixed with inferior Eastern grain, has been sold at a premium in recognition of its superior milling qualities.

Vancouver has in the past year doubled her capacity for handling grain, and will without expense to the ratepayers of the Dominion, double and redouble her increased facilities.

This is in sharp contrast with the other important schemes being urged before parliament. More millions for Hudson Bay route. Hundreds of millions for St. Lawrence river canal. In other words, an increase of per capita indebtedness of Canada from \$366 to over \$500, at a time when 'Economy, Economy, Economy!' is being called for from Cape Breton to Vancouver and Prince Rupert.

Had the C.P.R. Railway a route through the mountains comparable with that of the Canadian National Railway we would have already heard a Dominion wide call for the development of the Western route. At the present time the Canadian National can afford to haul grain through the mountains as cheaply as across the prairie, whereas the C.P.R. cannot do so because of its several heavy grades.

There are two most desirable results attained at the same time by the development of the Western route. From the taxpayers point of view, it affords opportunity to the mountain section of the National to carry sufficient freight to make it a highly profitable section of railroad, thereby further decreasing the deficits and ultimately making the road profitable. The second result is that it ensures to Alberta and

Saskatchewan farmers a premium return for their premium quality wheat.

Saskatchewan politicians may catch the public ear with their cry for Hudson Bay railroad and Ontario politicians may wax eloquent about the St. Lawrence venture, but by reason of its interest quality of "true economy" the Western route fails to receive the Dominion wide attention it deserves.

A PLAIN TALK

Many people fail because they stop too soon. They lose faith when things are against them. They have not the courage to hold on, to keep fighting in spite of that which seems insurmountable. If more of us would strike out and attempt the "impossible," we very soon would find the truth of that old saw that nothing is impossible.

Everything is impossible if we decide in advance that it is, and then content ourselves with that. We cannot think failure and be successes.

Go through the list of those who hold what are looked upon as the big jobs, and you will find that they are the people who overcame the greatest obstacles—the so-called impossibilities. The bigger the man the greater were the obstacles he had to surmount. Few of them had the road to success paved for them in advance; they progressed by using their judgement and doing things for themselves.

It should be plain to the blindest that we develop by overcoming difficulties. The obstacles in our paths are really opportunities to show the world just what we can do.

THE CRITICAL TEST

There is no truer test of a man's qualities for permanent success than the way he takes criticism. The little minded man can't stand it. It prickles his egoism. He 'crav-fishes. He makes excuses. Then, when he finds that excuses won't take the place of results, he sulks and pouts. It never occurs to him that he might profit from the accident—Thomas A. Edison.

NOT ANONYMOUS

A famous preacher made a neat score on one occasion against an anonymous correspondent.

Whilst in his pulpit one Sunday morning a note was handed to him by the vergier, and upon opening it he found scrawled across a sheet of paper the word 'Pool.'

Rising to the occasion, he exhibited it to his congregation and said: "In my time I have received much anonymous correspondence in which the writer has written the letter but forgotten to sign his name. But here is a very strange thing—a man has signed his name, and omitted to write the letter."

"I am a self-made man, sir. I began life as a barefoot boy!"
"Well, I wasn't born with shoes on, either."

JULY 16 IS DATE

FOR LIQUOR VOTE

July 16, 1924 was set as the date for taking the plebiscite in Saskatchewan by the legislative assembly sitting in committee of the whole yesterday and after a battle of words had been staged, it was decided to change the form of the first question to be submitted to the electorate to read as follows:

"Are you in favor of prohibition in Saskatchewan?"

In the original bill, the question was: "Are you in favor of the principle of the Saskatchewan Temperance Act?"

Hon. J. A. Cross, attorney-general intimated in the course of the debate that an affirmative vote by a majority of the people would mean that the present act would be continued or a better one devised and put into operation. As originally set, the date for taking the plebiscite was July 21.

What need is there to borrow? Don't fret about to-morrow. There's trouble round us all the time. What need is there to borrow? The wise man gets what joy he can, And leaves the fool his folly; He knows too much to waste his life In gloom and melancholy.



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DEATH & FUNERAL

MRS. JAMES SWAN

We are sorry to have to report the death of Myrtle Winnifred Florence, wife of Jas. Swan at eleven o'clock the evening of Friday March 21st. For the past five days Mrs. Swan has been suffering from an attack of pneumonia.

The funeral was conducted on Monday March 24th, being attended by a large gathering of folk. After a brief service at the house the funeral cortege wended its way to the Westminster church Chauvin. This building proved too small to accommodate those wishing to attend. After an impressive service, interment was made in the Chauvin cemetery.

The deceased leaves to mourn her loss her husband and four young children, Jeffrey, Jennet, Myrtle and James. She was some ing born at Thief River Falls, Minn., May 5th 1897, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Hare.

Two of the motherless children have been taken to the home of Mr and Mrs Jeff. Swan; and the other two to the home of Mr and Mrs W. Raynham.

What a dull grind work must be to the person not interested in improving his work or himself

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SUPPER AND FAREWELL CONCERT IN HONOR OF REV. W. MITCHELSON

A charming reception supper and concert was given at Knox Church, Ribstone, Friday, March 21st, by the Ladies Aid and surrounding district jointly to do honor to Rev. W. Mitchelson who has been pastor of this district for four years.

Rev. McKenzie of Chauvin was chairman, and in a few well chosen words expressed the mixed feelings of those present on this occasion—joy for the larger field Rev. Mitchelson is entering and at the same time sorrow at having to say farewell. Mrs. R. Morrison on behalf of the Ladies Aid read an illuminated address to Rev. Mitchelson extending their congratulations at his promotion and expressing their regret at his departure. Mrs. P. Russell then presented a purse of money to Rev. Mitchelson, who replied in a very feeling manner, saying how difficult it was to sever the ties after so many years and that he would always treasure the remembrance of the evening in the secret chambers of his heart. He spoke of the Ladies Aid in building the Ribstone church, and the increase of membership, the number of children attending Sunday school also the increase of the staff. In closing, he wished to thank those present for the gracious address and gift, which would be put to good purpose.

The program was a varied one of dialogues, solos, readings, etc. The following ladies and gentlemen contributing. The Misses Dorothy Young, Isie Morrison, Ada Russell, Anna McCagherty, Violet Young, Grace Dyer, Maude R. McKay, Linnie Hall, Marion Young, Jennie Price, Hilda Price Gladys Mills, Fernie Johnson, Sadie Cryderman, Mesdames T. Young, A. Dobson, C. Tizzard, R. Elson (pianist). Messrs W. MacKenzie, E. Dell, D. Young and J. Allan.

Shun idleness—it is the rust that attaches itself to the most brilliant metals.

DEBT REMOVED FROM WAR MEMORIAL FUND

The G. W. V. A. take pleasure in announcing the net receipts of the concert and dance given on St. Patrick's day were \$55.00, clearing off the debt on the War Memorial, the total cost of same being \$105.00

CARD OF THANKS

The Chauvin Command G. W. V. A. wish to express their thanks and appreciation to all who kindly contributed the services towards the program and dance, Monday March 17th.

LOCAL NOTES OF INTEREST

A meeting of the congregation of Edinburg will be held Sunday, March 23rd. Every member is requested to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Saul were visitors to Calgary last week. Mr. Saul acting as delegate to the life insurance and municipal secretaries' convention.

At the meeting of the Fram Community Club, on Saturday April 5th it is hoped to have an address on "Banking", Make a special note of this.

A dance will be held in the Oddfellows Hall, on Friday, March 28th under the auspices of the Chauvin Lodge I.O.O.F. Admission gratis, \$1. Ladies free. The Chauvin Orchestra will be in attendance. Lunch to be served at midnight.

The Edinburg U.F.A. last Thursday evening proved that a most enjoyable social evening can be had without the incursion of dancing on the program.

Mr. J. T. Moffatt, of Ridgeclough has gone east to Ontario points with a carload of horses.

Mr. Herbert C. Boyd, lawyer, and Mr. R. V. Duffy of the Edgerton Creamery were visitors to Chauvin Thursday last.

J. A. Saker has been appointed Chauvin agent for the Edgerton creamery.

The report of the provincial inspector as to the sanitary condition of the village of Chauvin reflects great credit upon its citizens. Whilst there are a few items mentioned requiring attention, the whole report is highly commendatory.

The Ribstone Board of Health had one case requiring isolation under its supervision. Patients are doing well.

District Judge Taylor sat in Chambers at Chauvin last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Sutherland, the local bank manager, has returned from Edmonton, and is able to resume his duties, we are glad to say.

"I think it is so silly to throw kisses."
"Rather! I prefer to deliver the gods."

ONE THIRD OF WHEAT PRICE IS PAID IN CARRYING CHARGES

The price paid for Canadian wheat in Liverpool averages 42 cents a bushel higher than the price received by the farmer who produced it.

The difference is chiefly represented in money paid to transportation companies.

The British miller creates practically the entire demand for Canadian wheat, so that it is to British and to European ports that the most of the wheat grown in the prairie provinces of Canada must go.

In 1923 Canada had between 250,000,000 and 300,000,000 bushels of wheat for export. The average spread between the price paid to Liverpool and the net return to the producer was 42 cts. Which means that more than a third of the ultimate price was eaten up in transportation costs.

If ten cents per bushel could have been saved to the farmers of the Canadian West out of transportation charges, the buying capacity of those on the land in Saskatchewan, Alberta and Manitoba would have been increased by \$25,000,000 to \$30,000,000. If fifteen cents a bushel had been saved out of transportation costs, there would have been \$37,500,000 to \$45,000,000 more available to the producers of wheat.

RIBSTONE W. I. NOTES

The Ribstone Womens Institute are giving a play entitled "An Afternoon Tea in a Friendly Village," on April 4th. Adults 35c, children under 12 years 15c. Further particulars next week.

The value of agricultural production in the province of Alberta last year is estimated at \$227,509,000.

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THE STRAWBERRY AND ITS CULTURE

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good drought resister. The fruit is medium large, of delicious flavor, and nearly free from acid, making it a general favorite.

Superb Everbearing. A plant of low spreading habit not as productive as the Progressive but producing larger dark red berries of excellent flavor.

Everbearing varieties planted in April or May will produce a good crop of berries the first year

from July until the end of September.

Strawberry plants are divided into two sexes, male or bisexual and female or pistillate. The male, or bisexuals, produce blossoms having both male and female organs, are self-pollinating and will produce fruit independently of the female or pistillate varieties. The blossoms produced by the female or pistillate variety however have only female organs and will not produce berries unless they are grown in close proximity to bisexuals. Therefore to ensure proper fertilization of pis-

tilate varieties every fourth row should be planted to a bisexual variety of the same fruiting season as the pistillate variety.

Standard varieties generally have a short fruiting season and produce one crop a year. Should a late frost come along about the time they are in bloom, the crop for the season will either be considerably reduced or a complete failure.

The Everbearing varieties, however, are different in this respect, and it is a very important difference. Should their first blossoms be destroyed by frost, the plants continue to produce blossoms and fruit continuously from the time they are planted to the end of September, so that with other conditions right it would not be unreasonable to expect a good crop of berries in any ordinary season.

The strawberry succeeds best on a moderately heavy, rich and thoroughly well drained soil with a sunny exposure, sheltered from north and west winds. But they will do well in any soil which can produce a good garden crop.

In selecting a place in the garden, choose one where the snow lies deep in winter, as it affords considerable protection and moisture for the plants. It is better to have the ground prepared the previous year, but where this can not be done, it should be performed as early in the spring as conditions will permit by digging deep and adding a liberal supply of well rotted manure thoroughly mixed and packed firm.

With a rake or pulverizer break up all the lumps and leave the surface even and fine, ready for setting plants.

There are several systems of planting. The matted row, the single hedge row, and the hill system. Where fruit of large size and superior quality is desired for private use, the latter is undoubtedly the best. Plants ordered from a distant nursery will sometimes arrive before the conditions are suitable for planting. The package should be opened at once to prevent the plants from heating or drying out, and should be heeled in until such a time as they can be planted out.

This is done by making a "V" shaped trench deep enough to hold the roots without doubling them. Soak the roots in water for half an hour and then shake them out and place thinly in the prepared trench roots only, keeping the crown of the plant just level with the ground. Cover the roots with a light covering of soil and proceed to place another layer of plants until they are all heeled in, and water thoroughly.

In this way the plants may be kept for two or three weeks and will begin to make new white roots.

In the hill system the plants should be set 12 to 15 inches apart (all runners cut off) and the rows from 2 feet to 2 feet 6 inches apart. For a hedge row, the plants should be set 3 feet apart and from 3 feet 6 inches to 4 feet between the rows. The runners are allowed to fill in the spaces between the plants, and

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EDINGLASSIE U. F. A.

The meeting last Thursday evening, March 20th was well attended, there being present several members of other locals, all of whom were welcome. The business of the evening was followed by a social in which the conclusion of the winter's whist drive was reached. The honors being awarded as follows. Ladies first prize to Miss Bertha Reinhardt. Gents first prize to Mr. Carl Gents first prize to Mr. Carl Tufte. The booby prizes were awarded to Mrs. John Taylor and Mr. William Dey (in this connection it is but fair to state that they have been but occasional visitors and had not the opportunity to obtain larger scores).

After an excellent lunch had served by the ladies of the district a program of various games was carried out. These were so greatly enjoyed that the meeting did not break up until three o'clock next morning.

The next meeting of the Edinglassie U.F.A. will be held at the school at eight o'clock, evening of Friday, April 4th.

COMING AUCTION SALE

A sale will be held at the farm of Mr. Wm. McClure, S.E. 1-4 of 25-46-31 mile west of Paradise Valley p. O. 22 head of horses; a full line of farm machinery and "Chevrolet" car in good running order. Sale on Friday, March 28 to commence at 1 p.m. George Reynolds, Auctioneer will conduct the sale. For further particulars, see posters.

"The last of my daughters was married, yesterday," said the father of a large family.

"Really? Who was the happy man?" inquired his friend.

"I was" said the parent.

Mr. Gabbalot: "And so you are the lady who is giving my wife painting lessons. What sort of a pupil is she?"

Miss Daubner: "Well, I find her very apt, to say the least." Mr. Gabbalot: "That's funny. I always find her very apt to say the most."

Tommy is a bright and knowing lad. Asked to write an essay on the best English poet and his works, he evolved the following: "Milton was the greatest English poet: he wrote 'Paradise Lost'. Then his wife died, and he wrote 'Paradise Regained.'"

"Mamma, I've got a stomachache," said six-year-old Nellie.

"That's because your stomach is empty. You'd feel better if you had something in it. You have been without your lunch!"

That afternoon the pastor called, and in conversation complained of a severe headache.

"That's because it's empty," said Nellie. You'd feel better if you had something in it."

"So you want a divorce from your wife? Aren't your relations pleasant?"

"Mine are, but her's are the most unpleasant lot I have ever met."

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AUDITOR'S FINANCIAL STATEMENT AND RETURNS

Of the VILLAGE OF EDGERTON, Alberta

For the Year ending December 31st 1923

RECEIPTS

Bank Balance and Cash on Hand at Dec. 31st 1922	717.80
Municipal Taxes: Current	490.38
Arrears	506.50
Supplementary Revenue Taxes: Current \$39.15; Arrears \$25.03	64.18
Village School District Taxes Collected under Tax Recovery Act	373.44
Business Taxes	193.51
Dog Taxes	20.00
Licenses	90.00
Commissions on Account Tax Collections	1.90
Costs of Receipts, filed and released	32.00
Miscellaneous	.31
Total Outstanding Cheques at Dec. 31st 1923:	375.27
TOTAL	2870.29

DISBURSEMENTS

Supplementary Revenue Taxes Paid	
Dept. of Municipal Affairs	85.62
School Tax Collections (less Commission for Collecting)	359.97
Fire Department	406.70
Public Works	525.00
Salaries: Secretary Treasurer	150.00
Auditor \$10.00; Constable \$6.20	166.20
Premium Secretary's Bond	3.15
Printing, Postage and Stationery	33.60
Office Expense	20.00
Refunds	9.25
Tax Sales Costs	2.65
Legal Expenses	40.00
Taxes on Village Property	2.56
Land Purchase	157.16
Balance at Dec. 31st 1923	1058.43
TOTAL	2870.29

ASSETS

Credit Balance in Bank and Cash on Hand at Dec. 31st 1923	1058.43
Uncollected Municipal Taxes	610.25
Uncollected Supplementary Revenue Taxes	42.52
Uncollected Taxes	126.30
Commissions on Tax Collections	2.38
Fire Halls and Equipment	990.00
Land and Other Property	465.00
TOTAL	3294.88

LIABILITIES

Outstanding Cheques at Dec. 31st 1923	375.27
Uncollected Supplementary Revenue Taxes	42.52
Land Purchase	10.00
Balance Assets over Liabilities	2867.09
TOTAL	3294.88

J. R. LOVE ADVOCATES PROVINCIAL INCOME TAX IN ALBERTA HOUSE

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based on income now collected, he said.

Mr. Love in the course of his address declared that some new sources of revenue must be secured if the province was to carry on without a deficit, and if the present services were to be continued.

Reductions could be made in different directions by cutting down here and there, but the ultimate result would not greatly affect the budget from year to year. Curtailments had been made by the government in the

operation of the public services during the period from 1921 to 1923 amounting to \$1,000,000 but in spite of this fact the increased interest charges had wiped out all savings and left the province with the annual deficit, he declared.

In 1921 the cost of operating the public services was \$8,555,000 and had been reduced to \$7,688,000 in 1923.

The land tax was one of the main sources of revenue at the present time but the province had reached the stage industrial form of taxation for its main rely where it could not look to this form of taxation for its main revenue, he said. The province had developed industrially to an ex-

tent where the land was only the basis of a portion of the industry of the province, and as a result land taxation was no longer an equitable means of raising revenue, it was maintained.

"The only logical tax to meet requirements is an income tax," Mr. Love declared. "I don't want to see a deficit, and if there is to be no reduction in services, there must be some source of revenue."

"The income tax is equitable; it results in every individual paying according to their capacity, and nothing could be more just than this," he said.

Mr. Love contended that the province had outgrown the present system of taxation. It had served the purpose while the main source of revenue was from agriculture, but this time had passed.

"In Saskatchewan where agriculture is practically the only industry the land tax is still suitable, but in British Columbia and Alberta where industrial development is making rapid strides, conditions are different," he contended.

In British Columbia forty one per cent of the revenue was collected through an income tax, Mr. Love said.

Continuing, he stated that the cost of collecting the Dominion income tax in Saskatchewan had been considerably higher than in Alberta, indicating that it was not suitable for the conditions existing there.

The cost of collecting \$9,000,000 income tax in Alberta was \$305,000 while the \$6,500,000 collected in Saskatchewan had cost for collection \$700,000 in spite of the fact that there is a population in the province 170,000 larger than in Alberta.

Mr. Love was opposed to the

MUNICIPAL TAX STATEMENT	
Current Assessment (25 mills)	38250.00
Arrears brought forward from 31st December 1922	556.33
Penalties Added 1st January 1923	27.76
July 1st 1923	27.30
General Tax Levy for 1923	55.06
Business Tax Levy for 1923	956.25
Total Taxes and Penalties to be Collected	238.00
Amount Collected: Current	623.38
Arrears	572.01
Total Collections	1195.39
Amount Uncollected at December 31st 1923	610.26

SUPPLEMENTARY REVENUE TAX STATEMENT

Total Valuation of Assessable Land	38250.00
Current Levy at 2 Mills on the dollar	76.50
Amount Uncollected Dec. 31st 1922	27.73
Penalties Added in 1923	2.47
Total Amount Due	106.70
Total Collected to Dec. 31st 1923	64.18
Total Uncollected at Dec. 31st 1923	42.52
Due Dept. from previous years collections	21.59
Total Amount Paid Dept. during year	85.62
Balance Owning Dept. on Collections at Dec. 31st 1923	.15

Estimated Population: 190

I hereby certify to the correctness of this statement
Dated at Edgerton, this 18th day of March 1924
N. DAVIDSON, Auditor

idea of allowing the cities to impose income taxes of any form, but suggested that if the province decided to impose the tax that the cities should be given some of the revenue now collected. The amusement tax which is now collected by the province might meet the requirements of the cities, he said.

It was the contention of Mr. Love that if the cities imposed an income tax that it would be collected from the packing plants. Implement dealers and others who dealt directly with the farmers, and the ultimate result would be that the farmers would have to pay the tax.

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The North-East quarter of Section Sixteen (16) in Township Forty-three (43) Range One (1) West of the Fourth Meridian, containing One Hundred and Fifty-nine acres more or less, reserving unto His Majesty all minor and minerals and subject to the exceptions, reservations and conditions in the original grant thereof from the Crown and in the existing Certificate of Title.

Terms of sale to be Twenty per cent cash at the time of sale and the balance according to the terms and conditions to be made known at the time of sale or upon application to the vendor's solicitor.

The above property will be offered for sale subject to a sealed reserved bid and free from all encumbrances save taxes for the current year.

The vendor is informed that the above property is situated about three and a half miles from the Village of Chauvin and consists of 159 acres of which 79 acres have been cultivated and in the year 1923 30 acres were in wheat and 40 acres were summer fall-fallowed. The soil is dark loam with clay subsoil and the property is fenced with two strand barbed wire. There are situated on the premises House with Lean-to and Stable.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to Griesbach O'Connor & Company, Solicitors, 10072 Jasper Avenue, Edmonton, Alberta.

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THE STRAWBERRY AND ITS CULTURE

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make a row about a foot wide.

In setting plants make a hole in the ground with a spade, dibble or trowel, large enough to hold the roots without doubling them. Take a plant, holding it by the crown, shake out the roots fan shape and place them in the hole straight down, keeping the crown just level with the ground. With the dibble or trowel press the roots so that no air spaces will lie between the rootlets.

This setting of the strawberry is so important that success or failure depends in a very great measure on the care bestowed on this operation. If plants are set too deep, or too shallow they will die. It is therefore of the utmost importance that they be set at the proper depth.

All roots should be below, and the crown of the plant just level with the surface of the ground.

Remove all blossoms and runners on standard varieties the first year.

Remove the blooms on overbearing varieties until the end of June, after which they may be allowed to fruit. If planted on the hill system all runners should be removed. If on the hedge or narrow only the strongest runners should be allowed to remain.

Immediately after setting commence cultivation, not more than two or three inches deep, and as close to the plants as practicable. Keep the surface loose and free from weeds and grass. Place a layer of straw in the rows and between the plants which will help retain moisture and also keep the fruit off the ground.

If during a spell of hot dry weather, the plants begin to suffer for want of moisture and a watering must be resorted to, the best plan is to make a hole with a post-hole auger or crow-bar between two plants from the foot to eighteen inches deep and fill with water, preferably in the evening. Next day, when the water has soaked in, fill in the holes.

Strawberry plants for all their size produce a very large amount of fruit and they naturally require a corresponding amount of plant food. Commercial fertilizers are good and easy of application, but a simpler and better plan is to make liquid manure by taking a pail of fresh manure, place in a sack and soak in a barrel of water. In applying, take a gallon of liquid manure and dilute with six gallons of water and apply as advised for watering at intervals during the fruiting season.

About the end of September the ground should get a good watering which will put the plants in good shape for going into the winter, and also reduce chances of winter killing. After freeze-up/mulch the strawberry patch with about six inches of clean straw, which should be allowed to remain until the plants have commenced to make growth in the spring, when it should be raked in between the rows and plants, where it will help to retain the moisture and keep the fruit

clean.

The covering with straw is not intended so much for winter protection as it is to counteract the bad effects of intermittent freezing and thawing in the spring.

OXVILLE MISSION FIELD

The Oxtville Church Mission includes the appointments of Dina, Rising Sun, Allister, Sifton Park, Winona, Oxtville and Sunnyside.

On July 10th 1923, representatives from these points at Allister school, created a Central Board, composed of one member from each Local Board, to look after the general interests of the church in this field. To further this interest this report by the executive of the Central Board is now presented.

The charge upon the field to support Mr. W. L. Gourlay was \$352.00. The Central Board is their estimate apportioned this upon eighty-seven families. This amounts to slightly more than \$4.00 per family. The response from the field amounted to \$264.61.

There should be a small charge upon the field to support the Central Board, if it is to do efficient work. We appeal to those who have not yet contributed to forward to the Secretary, Mr. W. Sutton, Oxtville, their contribution.

There were schools in operation at Rising Sun, Allister, Winona and Oxtville with a total enrollment of 139 and an average attendance of 87. These schools started in the spring and continued throughout the summer, one until Christmas. The four schools have on hand the sum of \$34.18 with which to commence this year. Would it not be fine to start our schools with a Sunday School Rally.

Mr. Gourlay was in the field twenty-two weeks. He held religious services at three points each Sunday, excepting Sunday August 26th. On that day Rev. Leitch, of Lloydminster held Communion Services at Oxtville, Allister, and Rising Sun.

Mr. Gourlay visited nearly two hundred families in this field. His message for this report is "I stand today, as I stood all summer, with all faith and confidence in the citizens of the Oxtville Mission Field.

Keep your clouds out of other people's sky.

Use "Kresco Dip" for spring time disinfectant and killing vermin on stock. The Chauvin Pharmacy.

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MR. H. MOLVEY,
Mrs. MOLVEY

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No. 3. Northern 63

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Eight horses, harness, chickens, wood, posts, machinery, household goods will be sold by auction at the Platt farm, Monday March 31 See posters for particulars.

COMING AUCTION SALE

A sale will be held at the farm of Mr. Wm. McClure, S.E. 14 of 25-46-3 1 mile west of Paradise Valley p. O. 22 head of horses; a full line of farm machinery and "Chevrolet" car in good running order. Sale on Friday, March 28 to commence at 1 p.m. George Reynolds, Auctioneer will conduct the sale. For further particulars, see posters.

ST. ANDREWS SOCIETY

A meeting of the St. Andrews Society was held on Saturday the 22 inst. The question of immigration was discussed and it was decided to have a public meeting on a date to be announced later. Committees were appointed to extend an invitation to Rev. Capt McCall, of Calgary to be present. Watch far posters.

MOTION PICTURES OF ALBERTA LIFE

A series of motion pictures on Alberta prepared by the Publicity Branch of the Alberta Government is to be sent overseas for use at the British Exposition shortly. The pictures cover all farming activities and their coal mining industry.

FEEDERS' DAY

The third annual feeders' day at the Alberta University will be held on Saturday April 5, which is the last day of the Edmonton Spring Show. During the past year the animal husbandry department has been conducting experiments with different feeds for beef cattle, sheep and hogs. As far as possible, the animals that have been used in these experiments will be available for inspection.

PEPPERMINT CREAMS

To make peppermint creams, boil till it treads a cup of water parts, coloring half with green coloring and leaving the other white. Beat each until creamy. Drop on glazed paper and let harden.

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SELLING CHOICE HOLSTEIN Cows, entire herd; pure bred bull draft horses; implements furniture; implements; etc. Clearing day March 26th, 1924. C. M. Van Velzer. N.E. 32-44-3-w4th; 7 1-2 miles north east of Edgerton.

FOR SALE: MANDOLIN, OR WILL exchange for violin. Apply Chauvin Chronicle.

FOR SALE: OR TRADE, 2 REGISTERED Aberdeen Angus Bull Calves. B. A. Pitman, Chauvin.

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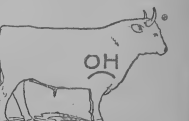
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